Cowin, William L. (for Administrator Kamljit K. Ashat)

Probate Status Hearing Re: (1) Failure to File Inventory & Appraisal; (2) Failure to File a First Account or Petition for Final Distribution [Prob. C. 12200, et seq.)

DOD: 12/21/2005	KAMLJIT K. ASHAT, surviving spouse, was appointed as Administrator with full IAEA authority and without bond	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/ COMMENTS:
Cont. from 022213,	on 2/10/2009. At the time of the filing of the Petition for Probate the estate was estimated to be \$2,761,000.00.	Continued from 2-22-13, 3- 22-13, 5-10-13, 5-31-13, 7-19- 13
032213 , 051013, 053113, 071913	The decedent died intestate survived by his spouse and three children, one of which is a minor.	Need Inventory and Appraisal, first account,
Aff.Sub.Wit.	Inventory and appraisal was due July 2009.	petition for final
Verified	First account or a petition for final distribution was due	distribution or current
Inventory	April of 2010.	written status report
PTC	Notice of Status Hearing was mailed to attempt William	pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 which states in all
Not.Cred.	Notice of Status Hearing was mailed to attorney William Cowin on 12/19/2012.	matter set for Status
Notice of Hrg		Hearing (unless inventory
Aff.Mail	Preliminary Status Report filed on 2/21/13 states but for	and appraisal <u>and</u>
Aff.Pub.	several lawsuits that arose after the death of the	accounting or petition for
Sp.Ntc.	decedent, this probate could have been finalized at an earlier date. With the exception of a parcel of real	final distribution has been filed) verified Status
Pers.Serv.	property located on Blackstone Avenue, all real and	Reports must be filed no
Conf. Screen	personal property assets on the estate are community	later than ten (10) days
Letters	property. The piece of property on Blackstone was	before the hearing and
Duties/Supp	purchased with community funds by the decedent	shall be served on all
Objections	when Mrs. Ashat was temporarily out of the country and title was taken in the name of the decedent	interested parties.
Video	temporarily. The above referenced litigation involved a	
Receipt	case where Mrs. Ashat and the Estate brought an	
CI Report	unlawful detainer action against tenants regarding a	
9202	portion of the Blackstone property. That case was	
Order	settled. The second case is a Federal case, case no.	
Aff. Posting	1:121-CV-00224-AWI-SMS styled <i>Delgado v. Abdo Saleh</i> , <i>USA Gas & Grocery and Kamaljit K. Ashat.</i> This issue is a	Reviewed by: KT
Status Rpt	man in a wheel chair who habitually files complaints	Reviewed on:
UCCJEA	against businesses whose bathrooms do not meet code	Updates: 8-12-13 (skc)
Citation	standards. The estate attorney is of the opinion that the	Recommendation:
FTB Notice	estate cannot be closed until this Federal case is concluded. The Federal case has finally been resolved and closed in late 2012 and the attorney's office was only recently informed that the Federal case has been concluded. They will now be moving forward with completing a final accounting, transfer of title to Mrs. Ashat and closing this estate.	File 1 - Ashat
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	1

1 Sukhjinder Ashat (Estate)

Case No. 08CEPR00834

Status Report filed on 5/30/13 states since the last hearing Attorney Cowin was finally able to have a telephone call with Ms. Ashat and she confirmed that the federal case had been settled and that she would send the settlement documents and litigation cost billings to him. Since he had not received the information, Mr. Corwin states he contacted her again and she reassured him that she was sending the information right away. Mr. Cowin states he has not received the information nor any communication from her since that time, and, accordingly have not been in a position to finalize the documentation to close the probate at this time.

On Thursday, May 30th he was able to contact Mrs. Ashat's husband on his cell phone. He assured Mr. Cowin that he would help Mrs. Ashat gather the requested information and provide the same to him. Mr. Cowin request an additional 30 to 45 days to finalize this probate.

Declaration of William Cowin Re Request for Continuance of Status Conference filed 7-16-13 states he has not been able to finalize this estate due to needing information from Mrs. Ashat. His office did receive a telephone call from her on 7-15-13, during which she informed the office that her daughter would email some documents to provide information. Once the information is received, the attorney should be in a position to finalize the estate.

Atty Jaech, Jeffrey A. (for Conservatee)

Atty Amador, Catherine A. (for Michael H. Smith, Sr. – son)
Atty Kruthers, Heather H. (for Public Guardian – Conservator)

Status Hearing Re: Filing of the Inventory and Appraisal

Age: 85	PUBLIC GUARDIAN was appointed	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	Conservator of the Person and Estate on 01/13/13.	CONTINUED FROM 06/17/13
	Inventory & Appraisal, Partial No. 1 filed 05/14/13 - \$0.00	As of 08/12/13, nothing further has been filed.
Cont. from 061713		
Aff.Sub.Wit.	Status Conference Statement filed 05/31/13	
Verified	by Michael H. Smith, Sr. states: The parties	
Inventory	are currently awaiting the completion of the	
PTC	Inventory & Appraisal by the Public	
Not.Cred.	Guardian. Declarant states that	
Notice of	conservatee's grandson, Michael H. Smith, Jr. ("Butch") has failed to provide certain	
Hrg	bank account records required by the	
Aff.Mail	Public Guardian, despite his previous	
Aff.Pub.	assurances to the Court that all such records	
Sp.Ntc.	would be provided promptly. Months have	
Pers.Serv.	passed and these records are needed to	
Conf.	determine the use of certain funds	
Screen	belonging to conservatee which were distributed to Butch for the benefit of the	
Letters	conservatee. The Conservator's inability to	
Duties/Supp	obtain these records is preventing them from	
Objections	completing the Inventory & Appraisal.	
Video		
Receipt	Once the Inventory & Appraisal is complete, the parties need to collaborate to divide the	
CI Report	community estate belonging to	
9202	conservatee and his deceased wife, so that	
Order	her portion of the estate can be distributed	
Aff. Posting	according to her estate plan. This work is	Reviewed by: JF
Status Rpt	also being delayed due to the lack of	Reviewed on: 08/12/13
UCCJEA	cooperation demonstrated by Butch.	Updates:
Citation	_	Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 2A – Smith

2B Ben H. Smith (CONS/PE) Case No. 11CEPR00782

Atty Amador, Catherine A. (for Michael H. Smith, Sr. – son/Petitioner)

Atty Krbechek, Randolf (for Michael Smith, Jr. – Objector)

Atty Motsenbocker, Gary (for Public Guardian – Conservator)

Atty Jaech, Jeffrey (for Ben H. Smith – Conservatee)

Motion to Terminate Authority of Agent for Health Care

Age: 85	MICHAEL H. SMITH, SR., son is Petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
Cont. from 060713; 061713 Aff.Sub.Wit.	Petitioner states: 1. The Public Guardian was appointed as Conservator of the Person and Estate, however, the conservatee's grandson, Michael H. Smith, Jr. ("Butch"), retains the authority to make all medical decisions for the conservatee pursuant to an advance health care directive signed by the	CONTINUED FROM 06/17/13 As of 08/12/03, nothing further has been filed. Note: The parties participated in Mediation
Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Validation Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen Letters	conservatee on 06/17/11. 2. The conservatee has been adjudged to lack the capacity to give informed consent to medical treatment. 3. Petitioner seeks the termination of Butch's authority as agent for health care under the advance health care directive on the ground that Butch has failed to perform and is unfit to perform the duties required of him under the advance health care directive and is acting in a manner that is clearly contrary to the conservatee's best interest. 4. Under the direction of the Public Guardian, health	
Duties/Supp Voleo Receipt CI Report 9202 Order Aff. Posting Status Rpt UCCJEA	 4. Under the direction of the Public Guardian, health care workers are present in the conservatee's home from 11am to 7pm daily. Butch and his mother, Robin Kent, provide care for the balance of each day/night. 5. Butch clarified his authority to make all medical decisions for conservatee via a motion brought by conservatee, through his attorney, to clarify the Court's previous order appointing the Public Guardian as Conservator of the person and estate. At the hearing on 03/11/13, the Court 	Reviewed by: JF Reviewed on: 08/12/13
Citation FTB Notice	specifically instructed Butch that he was to take sole responsibility for all aspects of conservatee's health care, including ensuring that he was scheduled for and transported to all necessary doctor visits and that is medications were administered as directed by his physicians. Butch was also instructed to coordinate and cooperate with the staff caring for the conservatee. Continued on Page 2	Updates: Recommendation: File 2B – Smith

Page 2

- 6. While the Probate Code gives an agent selected under an advance health care directive priority over others, including a conservator, to make health care decisions, it is also possible to terminate such agent's authority when necessary. Probate Code § 4766(d) provides that a petition may be filed seeking an order declaring that the authority of an agent is terminated where the Court determines both of the following:
 - (1) The agent...has violated, has failed to perform, or is unfit to perform, the duty under an advance health care directive to act consistent with the patient's desires or, where the patient's desires are unknown or unclear, is acting (by action or inaction) in a manner which is clearly contrary to the patient's best interest.
 - (2) At the time of the determination by the court, the patient lacks capacity to execute or revoke an Advance Health Care Directive...
- 7. Starting immediately after the hearing on 03/11/13, Butch initiated a program whereby he kept personal control of all of the conservatee's medications, despite the fact that he is frequently not at the conservatee's home between the hours of 11:00am and 7:00pm and the fact that the conservatee requires the administration of medication during these hours. Butch refuses to leave any of conservatee's medications in the house or allow the staff hired to care for the conservatee to administer any medication during their shift. Specifically, the conservatee is scheduled to take medication in the morning, at 2:00pm at 7:00pm and at bedtime. Butch frequently leaves the home before the conservatee wakes up in the morning and often does not return during the day to administer the medications for the morning or the afternoon. It is unclear whether Butch is administering the 7:00pm or evening dose as directed by the conservatee's physician. Butch has also been discovered to have administered medication to conservatee that was prescribed to Butch himself.
- 8. Butch also refuses to keep the staff or the conservator informed about the conservatee's medical appointments. Instead he will simply show up and take the conservatee out of the house with no warning and no information about where he is going. He has also provided incorrect information to staff and the conservator about prescriptions and dosing of medications. He appears to confuse which of conservatee's doctors provide the various parts of conservatee's care and confuses appointments on occasion. It has been necessary for the Public Guardian to contact conservatee's doctors directly to confirm dates and times of appointments to ensure that the staff has the conservatee ready to go when it is time for Butch to take him to a doctor's appointment and to maintain some information about the directions conservatee's various doctors have given for his care, including medication dosing.
- 9. Butch has unilaterally decided to stop giving conservatee some of the medications prescribed for him, especially Risperidone, during the day. This medication is intended to treat conservatee's anxiety and is especially important in controlling his dementia symptoms later in the day. Without it, conservatee becomes increasingly agitated and combative in the afternoons. It is often difficult to control him and the staff is forced to staff his care with men only. In contrast, conservatee's anxiety and conduct were fairly well controlled when he was taking Risperidone throughout the day as prescribed by his physician.
- 10. Conservatee's overall health and well-being appear to have deteriorated significantly since Butch was given control over his medical care. Prior to Butch's control, conservatee's medications were consistently given as prescribed during the staff's working hours, his sleep was better regulated, and his dementia and anxiety symptoms were better controlled. Now his symptoms are poorly controlled and staff is concerned that his heart medication is also not being administered as directed.

Page 2

- Case No. 11CEPR00782
- 11. Petitioner believes that Butch has failed to perform or is unfit to perform his duties under the advance health care directive, and that Butch is acting in a manner that is clearly contrary to the conservatee's best interests.
- 12. This Court has previously determined that the conservatee has dementia and lacks capacity to give informed consent for any form of medical procedure or health care issue. Petitioner submits that, therefore, conservatee lacks the capacity to execute or revoke an advance health care directive or to disqualify a surrogate.

Petitioner prays for an Order:

- 1. Terminating Butch's authority to make medical decisions for conservatee pursuant to the advance health care directive signed by conservatee on 06/17/11;
- 2. Confirming its earlier finding that the conservatee lacks capacity to give informed medical consent for any purpose;
- 3. Appointing the Public Guardian, the Conservator of the Person and Estate, as the party with authority to make all medical decisions for conservatee, including, but not limited to, scheduling and attending medical appointments, reporting symptoms to conservatee's physicians, and directing the administration of medications per the conservatee's physician's orders; and
- 4. Such other and further relief as the Court deems necessary and proper.

Declaration of Deputy Public Guardian Youa Her in Support of Petition to Terminate Authority of Agent for Health Care in Favor of Conservator filed 05/24/13 states: during the first weeks of the conservatorship, the Public Guardian supervised and attended medical appointments, the administration of medication, and all necessary follow-up care pursuant to doctors' instructions. Throughout this time period, there were regular and sometimes serious problems with Butch interfering with the provisions of necessary medical care for the conservatee. Butch and Robin provided inaccurate information to conservatee's various physicians, were frequently confused about appointments, medication dosages and timing of dosages. On at least one occasion, Butch administered medication not prescribed for the conservatee. Declarant further states that she is informed that Butch refuses to administer certain medications prescribed for the conservatee to address is mounting anxiety and agitation and that the conservatee's medical condition is deteriorating as a result. Shortly after the Public Guardian was appointed conservator, the conservatee required a procedure to clear his arteries. There were numerous doctor's involved and it was clear to the declarant that Butch did not understand the role that each doctor played or care each would provide. He confused the doctors, their roles, and confused appointments. It became necessary for the declarant to confirm all appointments, and to make arrangements for the care staff (Anjaleoni Enterprises) to take the conservatee to those appointments to ensure that everything was done as it should be.

Declarant further states that she is aware that Butch and Robin made very different reports to Anjaleoni staff regarding the conservatee's sleep and well-being at night. While they reported to the staff that the conservatee generally did well at night, they reported to Dr. Sheriffs in mid-February that the conservatee got up frequently during the night. Declarant is also aware of an incident in which Butch administered an inhaler to the conservatee that was not prescribed for the conservatee. Staff followed up and obtained an appropriate prescription for the conservatee to have his own inhaler. Apparently, it did not occur to Butch that he should not give the conservatee medication which was prescribed for another person or that he should address the issue with the conservatee's physician.

Page 3

Case No. 11CEPR00782

On 03/11/13m Butch clarified his authority to make medical decisions for the conservatee. At the hearing, the Court made clear that Butch was henceforward to take sole responsibility for all aspects of conservatee's health care, including ensuring that he was scheduled for and transported to all necessary doctor visits and that his medications were given as directed by his physicians. Butch was also instructed to coordinate and cooperate with the staff that assists the conservatee from 11am – 7pm.

Declarant states that on 03/02/13, Butch took conservatee's medications from the house and informed Susan from Anjaleoni that he intended to maintain custody of all the medications himself and manage administration of said medications. Conservatee requires medication in the morning, at 2:00 pm, at 7:00 pm and at bedtime. The Anjaleoni caregivers had previously been giving the daytime doses with the occasional exception of the morning dose. If the conservatee woke up before 11 am, Robin or Butch would give the morning dose prior to leaving the house. Declarant states that she tried calling Butch about the issue, but had to leave a voice message. Declarant indicated in her message that Butch could not take the conservatee's medications out of the conservatee's home, despite having the advance health care directive. She further instructed him that he could not prevent the Anjaleoni staff from giving the conservatee his prescribed medications during the day unless he made arrangements to do so himself. She requested that the medications be returned to the house immediately; however, Butch continues to maintain custody of the medications and insists on administering them himself. Conservatee is often not awake when Butch leaves the house in the morning and Butch is often late or does not appear for the mid-day dose. It is unclear whether the conservatee is given the early evening or bedtime dose.

Declarant states that on 03/25/13, Butch informed Susan from Anjaleoni that the conservatee no longer needs to take Risperidone, which was prescribed by the conservatee's primary care physician, Dr. Sheriffs for agitation/anxiety. At the same time, she was informed that the conservatee regularly displays increased anxiety and agitation during the daytime hours. Butch appears to discount conservatee's increasing anxiety and the incidents of violence and does not seem to understand that conservatee's physician prescribed the Risperidone in order to control the conservatee's symptoms and that failure to administer the medication as prescribed is contrary to the conservatee's best interests. Declarant states that the conservatee has attempted to attack female care givers and has had to be restrained. Declarant is informed that the conservatee's actions on both occasions is reminiscent of violence he previously displayed on his now deceased wife and that he appears to have confused the caregivers with his memory of his wife. Declarant further states that she is aware that the conservatee threatened Michael Smith's (petitioner's) wife in a similar fashion on a recent dinner outing. All of these incidents have occurred since the conservatee's Risperidone dosage was reduced and two of them have occurred since Butch determined to stop giving the medication altogether. The conservatee has become much less cooperative with the careaivers since the Risperidone has been stopped.

Declarant states that Butch is now refusing to inform the Anjaleoni staff when the conservatee has doctor's appointments and instead simply comes and picks up the conservatee and refuses to state where he is taking the conservatee and why. This makes it difficult for the caregivers to ensure that the conservatee is ready to go when an appointment is scheduled. Declarant has had to contact the conservatee's doctor's herself and provide appointment information to the Anjaleoni staff.

Page 4

Case No. 11CEPR00782

Declarant further states that Butch and Robin have moved into the conservatee's home. It is Declarant's opinion that the conservatee's overall well-being has deteriorated since Butch became solely responsible for his medical care. Butch is unwilling or unable to manage conservatee's care properly, either because he does not have a complete grasp of the nature of the care conservatee requires or because he fails or refuses to take proper and full responsibility for all aspects of necessary care. In either case, the conservatee's health is suffering because of it. Declarant is concerned that it may become necessary to remove the conservatee from his home and place him in an assisted living facility. There are concerns about exposing female caregivers to potential violence against them by the conservatee. The conservatee has also been unwilling to cooperate with male caregivers. It is possible that, if this situation continues to deteriorate, it will no longer be possible to care for the conservatee safely in his home.

Declaration of Sundari Susan Kendakur in Support of Petition to Terminate Authority of Agent for Health Care filed 05/24/13 states: She is the Executive Director & Administrator of Anjaleoni Enterprises, which has been contracted to provide in home care for the conservatee from 11:00 am - 7:00pm. Conservatee's grandson Butch and Butch's mother Robin, provide the care to the conservatee for the balance of each day. Anjaleoni staff attempts to coordinate daily activities and the administration of medication with Butch and Robin and the staff relies on reports from them to understand how the conservatee is doing during the hours when staff is not in the home. Initially, they took direction regarding medical care for the conservatee from the Public Guardian, because the conservatee lacks capacity and her staff took conservatee to his medical appointments, usually with Butch and sometimes Robin in attendance as well. Anialeoni staff handled the administration of medication all necessary follow-up care during the hours they were with the conservatee pursuant to doctors' instructions. During this time, there were regular and sometimes serious concerns with Butch confusing the directions or medications for conservatee by his physicians, confusing which doctors provided what type of care and why and even interfering with the provisions of necessary medical care for the conservatee. On the very first day they began providing care, they discovered that Butch was administering an inhaler to the conservatee that had been prescribed for Butch. They contacted conservatee's primary care physician and obtained a prescription for the conservatee. They have attempted to ensure that the conservatee is only given medications that are specifically prescribed for him, according to the dosing instructions given by the physician for that medication and have attempted to ensure that all medications are given as prescribed.

On 01/29/13, Butch informed Anjaleoni that conservatee's physician changed his albuterol (inhaler) dosing. They asked Butch which doctor had given that order for documentation purposes and he stated it was Dr. Fong. Dr. Fong is a surgeon who performed a cardiac procedure on conservatee in mid-February and was not involved in prescribing the albuterol. Declarant contacted the Public Guardian to confirm the change since she had attended the appointment. It turned out Dr. Fong had given specific instructions for another medication, but nothing was discussed about the albuterol.

On 02/08/13, Butch informed Anjaleoni that conservatee had a pre-op appointment the following Monday with Dr. Sheriffs, his primary care physician. This didn't make sense because Dr. Sheriffs was not involved in the upcoming surgery. Declarant contacted the Public Guardian and confirmed that the pre-op appointment was with Dr. Boran, conservatee's cardiologist, not Dr. Sheriffs as Butch had stated. Declarant confirmed that conservatee had a separate appointment scheduled with Dr. Sheriffs the same day that had nothing to do with the surgery. Had they relied on the information provided by Butch, conservatee would have missed his scheduled appointment with Dr. Sheriffs that day and would have gone to the wrong office potentially missing his pre-op appointment with Dr. Boran and possibly delaying an urgent surgical procedure.

Page 5

On 02/11/13, Butch relayed different facts to Dr. Sherriffs than he had been relaying to the care staff who he had previously told that the conservatee was sleeping well at night. At the appointment with Dr. Sherriffs he reported that conservatee was up as many as 7 times during the night. Over the course of this time, Declarant states that she and the Anjaleoni staff have been unable to rely on Butch or Robin to provide accurate information on conservatee's condition or activities while he is under their care, making it much more difficult for them to provide appropriate care for him during the hours they are caring for conservatee.

Case No. 11CEPR00782

On 03/06/11, Anjaleoni staff member Ruby Watson accompanied conservatee to an appointment with Dr. Sherriffs. Butch and Robin were also present. Butch described symptoms to Dr. Sherriffs and based on Butch's information Dr. Sherriffs reduced conservatee's regular dose of Risperidone from two tablets to one. Later that evening, Butch contacted Declarant to inquire as to why the conservatee was only taking one Risperidone now instead of two. He had forgotten about Dr. Sheriffs reducing the dosage based on Butch's account of conservatee's symptoms. At a subsequent visit with Dr. Sherriffs it was determined that a second tablet of Risperidone could be given if conservatee was agitated or anxious and the first tablet did not allay his symptoms.

On 03/11/11, Butch obtained authority to make medical decisions for the conservatee and was specifically instructed by the Court that he was to take sole responsibility for all aspects of conservatee's health care, including ensuring that he attended all scheduled appointments and medications were administered as prescribed. Butch was also told to coordinate and cooperate with the Anjaleoni staff.

On 03/20/13, Butch took possession of all of conservatee's medications and made them unavailable to the Anjaleoni staff thereby restricting the staff from being able to give conservatee his medications at the prescribed times. Declarant contacted Butch about this situation and he stated that the medications were at the house. However, the staff searched the house and was unable to locate the medication. In a second call, Butch informed Declarant that he was handling the medications and there was no medication prescribed for the daytime. Declarant inquired about the afternoon dose of Risperidone and Butch stated that there was no need to take medication in the afternoon. Declarant has sought the assistance of the Public Guardian in this matter, but Butch continues to maintain possession of the conservatee's medications.

On 03/25/13, Butch informed Declarant that conservatee no longer needed to take the Risperidone. Although it was prescribed by Dr. Sherriffs. It is Declarant's understanding that Butch continues to give the conservatee Risperidone at night, but maintains that daytime doses are unnecessary. The conservatee exhibits "sundowners" symptoms in which his agitation and anxiety become more prevalent toward the end of the afternoon. Using Risperidone during the day when needed was keeping these symptoms relatively well controlled. However, since Butch decided to stop the daytime dosing, conservatee exhibits anxiety and agitation on a daily basis, especially in the late afternoon and early evening. He also exhibits fairly serious episodes of combativeness and bouts of violence toward staff on a regular basis and on occasion toward Robin. These symptoms were not present when Anjaleoni initially started caring for conservatee, during the time when his medication was administered routinely as prescribed.

Further, Butch currently keeps all medication information to him, including information about appointments and their outcomes. Butch will come to take the conservatee to an appointment without any notice and it is difficult to ensure that he is ready to leave the house.

Page 6

Case No. 11CEPR00782

Declarant is also concerned that conservatee's sleep schedule and his medication schedule have been skewed to his detriment, especially given his susceptibility to Sundowner symptoms. Declarant is informed that conservatee often stays up very late and the time he wakes up is erratic. There are days when staff arrives to find the conservatee up and seated in his favorite chair having already eaten his breakfast and taken his morning medication. Some days they arrive to find conservatee still in bed and sleeping. Other days he is in bed but awake and no one has helped him out of bed. He is usually still in his pajamas when staff arrives. Typically, morning medication would be given much earlier than 11am, but this is not possible due to conservatee's sleep schedule. Declarant is concerned that he is not receiving proper dosing of medications associated with his cardiac condition based at least in part on his skewed sleep schedule.

Conservatee's son Mike and his wife Lisa visit with conservatee twice a week, often taking him out for a meal. Staff has observed a pattern of behavior on days when the visits are scheduled where Butch has conversations with the conservatee. Following those conversations, conservatee will exhibit agitation about the impending visit with Mike and Lisa. It has become necessary for staff to request that Butch leave the house before each visit to allow them to calm the conservatee down and get him ready for the visit. At the conclusion of most of these visits, it is clear that conservatee enjoyed himself during the visit and usually asks whether Mike and Lisa will come back to visit again soon.

Declarant states that it is her opinion that conservatee's overall well-being has deteriorated since Butch became solely responsible for his medical care. Butch is unable or unwilling to manage that care properly, either because he does not have a complete grasp of the nature of the care conservatee requires, because he fails or refuses to take proper and full responsibility for all aspects of necessary care, or because he simply disagrees with conservatee's doctors and refuses to follow their medical advice and/or direction. Whatever the case, conservatee's health is suffering as a result. Additionally, Declarant and her staff are unable to provide full and appropriate care to conservatee because Butch refuses to keep them informed of his physician's orders and refuses access to provide care appropriately.

Declarant states that she has observed and it has been reported to her that Butch and Robin are living in the conservatee's home and have their personal possessions in the home. Robin stays at the home every night and Butch stays there most nights. Additionally, Robin's husband is present at the home on many occasions when staff arrives in the morning and Butch's son is present at the home on many weekends.

Declaration of Mike (Butch) Smith, Jr. in Opposition to Motion to Terminate Authority of Agent for Healthcare filed 05/31/13 states: This dispute stems from issues concerning visitation of conservatee. Declarant states that he and his father (petitioner, Michael Smith) have had disagreements in the past regarding visitation, however, they have entered into a stipulation concerning visitation.

Within minutes after returning home from the court hearing appointing the Public Guardian as conservator, Declarant was contacted at conservatee's house by a member of the Public Guardian's staff and a daytime caregiver. Declarant and his mother, Robin, were informed that they could not be at the home between 11am and 7pm. Declarant states that the office for his business is located in the house and he was subsequently allowed to enter the house during daytime hours for business purposes.

Page 7

Case No. 11CEPR00782

The daytime caregivers do not bathe or dress conservatee. Declarant and his mother take care of those essential needs. He often will not eat the lunch they prepare for him because they don't make him what he likes. To keep his mind active, Declarant often takes conservatee with him when he goes out for certain business functions and to visit family and friends. Declarant enjoys the conservatee's company.

Petitioner's allegation that Declarant refuses to leave conservatee's medications in the house or allow Anjaleoni staff to administer any medications is a gross distortion of the facts. Declarant states that he leaves conservatee's inhaler, which is the only necessary daytime medication. The other medications are administered by Robin and Declarant as prescribed in the morning and the evening. Petitioner's allegation that medication is to be administered at 2pm and 7pm is not correct. The main drug at issue is Risperidone which is prescribed to treat sundowner's symptoms. Declarant states that he has been informed by conservatee's doctor that Risperidone is very potent and carries the risk of certain adverse side effects, including, paradoxically, an increase in agitation. At the end of February 2013 conservatee started to exhibit tremors, which he never had before. In mid-March 2013, Declarant learned that the staff was administering Risperidone to conservatee in the afternoon. However, the staff did not leave the log book or notify either himself or Robin of any changes in conservatee's medication. Declarant states that he was concerned that the increased dosage in Risperidone contributed to the tremors. Conservatee's physician told Declarant that even one Risperidone carries the risk of inducing tremors. In March 2013, the staff obtained an additional prescription for Risperidone from a second doctor, thus two different doctors were writing prescriptions for Risperidone for the conservatee and Declarant was extremely concerned about this.

Declarant states that the allegation that he is sometimes not present at the home when the caregivers arrive is false. He states that he is always present when the caregivers arrive and he administers the daytime medications before he leaves. There are no afternoon medications to administer and he gives the conservatee his evening medication when he returns in the evening.

Declarant states that Petitioners allegation that he administered his own inhaler to conservatee is not accurate. Declarant states that he and the conservatee have a prescription for the same inhaler (Albuterol Sulfate). He has no knowledge of conservatee using his inhaler, but if he did, it's inconsequential because it is the same medication that's prescribed for the conservatee.

Declarant states that the allegation that refuses to keep the Anjaleoni staff or conservator informed of conservatee's appointments is not correct. He states that he provides 24 hour advance notice to the daytime staff. Further, you never know what conservatee will be doing from one day to the next, sometimes he will make plans to go somewhere and sometimes he changes his mind. Declarant states that he never forces conservatee to come with him.

Declarant states that he has not provided incorrect information to staff and the conservator about prescriptions and dosing of medications. Further, he did not unilaterally decide to stop giving the conservatee some of his prescribed medications, especially Risperidone, during the day. Declarant states that the daytime staff obtained a second prescription for Risperidone from a second doctor. The benefits provided by Risperidone are often evaluated in subjective terms, balancing the agitation against the side effects, including tremors. Declarant does not want a situation where conservatee is turned into a Zombie because of excessive medication for agitation.

Page 8

Case No. 11CEPR00782

The allegation that conservatee's overall health and well-being appear to have deteriorated significantly since Declarant was given control over his medical care is a damn lie. Declarant states that throughout this entire period, his focus has been on conservatee's care. Conservatee was always proud and independent. Declarant and his mother work every day to allow conservatee to continue to live as independently as possible, in his own home, with regular social contact with family and friends. If Petitioner had his way, conservatee would be shut away in an old folk's home. Conservatee, who served in the Pacific theater as a Marine during WWII and who was a farmer and rancher his whole life would never want to be shut away.

Petitioner alleges that the staff is concerned that conservatee's heart medication is not being administered as directed. Declarant is not aware of "heart medication". He is prescribed and administered medications for cholesterol, high blood pressure, and Plavix.

Declarant states that it is and has always been his intention to treat conservatee with the dignity and respect he earned during a long, hard-working, and honorable life. He saw how his grandmother, Jean Smith, was treated when she was placed in a home after Petitioner and the Public Guardian were appointed as her conservator. He has a picture of her lying on the floor of the facility "so she wouldn't fall". Declarant brought her a mat and pillow for her basic comfort. Declarant vowed that conservatee would receive better treatment and have devoted years to caring for him as he aged.

Petitioner continues to use conservatee as a vehicle to engage in conflict with Declarant. Whatever the family disputes, conservatee's care rises above everything. Petitioner seems to have a different agenda, perhaps tied to his concerns about his prior financial dealings with the conservatee,

Case No. 11CEPR00782 Amador, Catherine A. (for Michael H. Smith, Sr. – son/Petitioner) Atty

Krbechek, Randolf (for Michael Smith, Jr. - Objector) Atty Motsenbocker, Gary (for Public Guardian – Conservator) Atty

Jaech, Jeffrey (for Ben H. Smith – Conservatee) Atty

Status Hearing

Age: 85 DOB: 11/25/27	PUBLIC GUARDIAN was appointed Conservator of the Person and Estate on 01/13/13.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/ COMMENTS:
Cont. from	MICHAEL H. SMITH, JR., grandson, retains the authority to make all medical decisions for the conservatee pursuant to an advance health care directive signed by the conservatee on 06/17/11.	CONTINUED FROM 06/17/13 Note: The parties
Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified	On 05/24/13, MICHAEL H. SMITH, SR., son, filed a Motion to Terminate Authority of Agent for Health Care.	participated in Mediation on 06/17/13, 06/21/13 and 08/12/13.
Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen Letters	Minute Order from hearing on 06/07/13 set this matter for status and states: Also present in the courtroom is Youa Her. The Court directs that Ben Smith be seen by Dr. Sherriffs. The Court further directs that Michael Smith, Jr. and a representative of the Public Guardian be present during the visit with Dr. Sherriffs. The Court orders that Dr. Sherriffs be informed of what has been going on with Ben Smith during the day and evening. The Court orders counsel to submit a status report regarding what occurred with Dr. Sherriffs. Parties agree to participate in mediation on 06/17/13 at 2:00 p.m. Mediation to include Michael Smith, Jr., Michael Smith, Sr., and the Public Guardian. Mr. Fischer is directed to keep the Court apprised of the status of mediation.	
Duties/Supp Objections Video Receipt CI Report 9202 Order Aff. Posting Status Rpt UCCJEA Citation FTB Notice	Declaration of Randolf Krbechek Regarding Status of Conservatorship filed 08/12/13 states: Since the last hearing date Mike Smith, Sr. and Butch Smith have made genuine efforts to respect each other's beliefs concerning the care and comfort of Ben Smith. There have been no major issues regarding Ben's healthcare and living arrangements since the last hearing. The parties and their counsel have engaged in substantive discussions regarding the characterization and distribution of the assets held in the Jean Smith Conservatorship. It is anticipated that the parties will continue with their good faith efforts to complete the actions needed in the Jean Smith Conservatorship proceeding. A continuance of 90 days is respectfully requested.	Reviewed by: JF Reviewed on: 08/12/13 Updates: 08/13/13 Recommendation: File 2C – Smith

2C

Victoria L. Hudgins (Estate)
Shepard, Jeff S. (for Kevin Hudgins and Danielle Dutra – Co-Executors) Status Hearing Re: Filing of the Inventory and Appraisal

DAD 40 50 50	Sidios realing ke. riling of the inventory and	1
DOD: 12-18-12	KEVIN HUDGINS and DANIELLE DUTRA, Son	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	and Daughter, were appointed Co-	
	Executors with Full IAEA without bond on 2-7-	Continued from 7-12-13
	13.	Nete: There were no suppositions 7
Cont. from 071213	At hearing on 2-7-13, the Court set status	Note: There were no appearances on 7-12-13. The Court continued the matter
Aff.Sub.Wit.	hearing for the filing of the Inventory and	and ordered Attorney Shepard to be
	Appraisal for 7-12-13. The matter was	personally present if the I&A is not filed.
Verified	continued to 8-16-13.	personally present if the last is not linea.
Inventory	- COTTINITION TO TO TO.	Need Inventory and Appraisal.
PTC		Probate Code §8800(b).
Not.Cred.]
Notice of		Note: The original petition estimated the
Hrg		value of the estate as follows:
Aff.Mail		Personal property: \$1,000,000.00
Aff.Pub.		Annual income: \$ 130,000.00
Sp.Ntc.		Real property \$ 383,000.00
Pers.Serv.		Total: \$1,513,000.00
Conf.		Note: The Co-Executors are the sole heirs
Screen		per the decedent's will; <u>however</u> , there
Letters		has been a creditor's claim filed for
Duties/Supp		\$76,595.32.
		1, 2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2,2
Objections		
Video		
Receipt		
CI Report		
9202		
Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: SkC
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 8-12-13
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 3 – Hudgins
		3

4A	Violet Goorigian Revocable Trust	Case No. 13CEPR00365
----	----------------------------------	----------------------

Atty Rube, Melvin K. (for Petitioner Gary C. Goorigian)

Atty Glasrud, Donald H (for Co-Trustees, Ben Krikorian and Aaron Krikorian)

Atty Magnus, Marcus (for Respondent, Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Church)

Atty Brillant, David (for Respondent, American Cancer Society)

Atty Sanoian, Joanne (for Respondent, Charlie Keyan Armenian Community School)

Petition to Ascertain Beneficiaries and Determine Distribution of Property on Final Termination of Trust

	Termination of Irust				
			GARY C. GOORIGIAN is petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:	
			Petitioner states he is the only child of VIOLET GOORIGIAN and therefore an interested party.	Continued from 6-19-13 Minute Order 6-19-13: Counsel	
Со	nt. from 061913		Petitioner states:	David Brillant is present on behalf	
	Aff.Sub.Wit.			of the American Cancer Society.	
1	Verified		On 10/6/2008 Violet Goorigian established the	Ms. Sanoian advises the Court	
–			VIOLET GOORIGIAN REVOCABLE TRUST	that she was just retained by the	
	Inventory		AGREEMENT.	school so she needs additional	
	PTC		On 2/26/2009 Violet Goorigian executed the	time to file a response. Mr.	
	Not.Cred.		FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE VIOLET GOORIGIAN	Glasrud advises the Court that he	
✓	Notice of Hrg		 REVOCABLE TRUST AGREEMENT. On 3/9/12 Violet Goorigian executed revoked 	is estimating the value of the estate to be between 3.5 and 4.5	
/	Aff.Mail		the 1st Trust Amendment and executed the	million dollars. Continued to 8-16-	
<u> </u>			SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE VIOLET	13 at 9am in Dept 303. Set on 8-	
	Aff.Pub.		GOORIGIAN REVOCABLE TRUST AGREEMENT.	16-13 at 9am in Dept 303 for	
	Sp.Ntc.		On 3/9/12 Violet Goorigian further amended	Status Conference.	
	Pers.Serv.		the Trust by executing the THIRD AMENDMENT	cd 6-20-13	
	Conf. Screen		TO THE VIOLET GOORIAN REVOCABLE TRUST		
	Letters		AGREEMENT.	1. Need Order. Local Rule	
	Duties/Supp		 VIOLET GOORIGIAN died on 12/3/13 The Trust is now irrevocable. 	7.1 states a proposed Order shall be submitted	
1	Objections		BEN KRIKORIAN and AARON KRIKORIAN are the	with all pleadings that	
Ě	\/idaa		currently acting co-trustees of the Trust.	request relief. If the	
	Video Receipt			proposed order is not	
	CI Report		Petitioner now requests Court determination that	received in the Probate	
	•		he is the sole beneficiary of the assets of the Trust	Filing Clerk's Office ten (10)	
	9202	V	and that upon termination of the Trust the Co-	days before the scheduled	
	Order	Χ	Trustees distribute all the assets of the Trust to him.	hearing, a continuance	
			Please see additional page	may be required.	
	Aff. Posting		riedse see addilional page	Reviewed by: KT	
	Status Rpt			Reviewed by: KI Reviewed on:	
	UCCJEA			Updates: 8-12-13 (skc)	
	Citation			Recommendation:	
	FTB Notice				
	LID MOUCE			File 4A – Goorigian	

4A

Petitioner's request is based on the following:

In or about 1984 Petitioner's parents AARON GOORIGIAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN, were the owners of two parcels of real property in Fresno County, one on South Avenue and the other on Peach Avenue. Petitioner has never had an ownership interest in either parcel of real property. Both parcels of real property are assets of the Trust.

In or about 1984 Petitioner began to farming the South Avenue property and continued to farm the property thereafter for approximately 10 to 12 years. During that period of time AARON GOORIGIAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN made oral promises to petitioner that he would inherit all of the real property, which included at the time the Peach Avenue property and the South Avenue property, all tangible personal property and all intangible personal property owned by AARON GOORIGAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN. Petitioner alleges these promises were made to induce petitioner to make improvements in the residence located on the South Avenue property. In reliance upon the oral promises made Petitioner was induced to and did make improvements to the residence located on the South Avenue property in the amount of approximately \$100,000.00, which resulted in a monetary benefit to AARON GOORIGIAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN.

Petitioner alleges on 3/11/91 he and his father, AARON GOORIGIAN, were the owners of IDS Mutual Fund account, a financial account held by IDS Financial Services.

On or about 3/11/91, VIOLET GOORIGIAN and AARON GOORIGIAN presented documents, which Petitioner believes was an Assignment Separate From Certificate Form, to Bank of America for the purpose of obtaining a signature guarantee. Petitioner states without his knowledge, consent or authorization and with the intent to defraud petitioner, VIOLET GOORIGIAN forged the name of Petitioner to said document. Bank of America guaranteed the signature as that of Petitioner. On March 22, 1991 VIOLET GOORIGIAN and AARON GOORIGIAN, with the intent to deceive and defraud Petitioner, presented the forged document to IDS Financial Services, Inc. which resulted in the removal of Petitioner's name from IDS Mutual Fund and transfer the assets of IDS Mutual Fund to AARON GOORIGIAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN. Petitioner believes the assets fraudulently transferred amounted to approximately \$60,000.00.

Upon learning of the fraudulent transfer, Petitioner approached AARON GOORIGIAN and informed him that he wanted to be compensated for his loss. AARON GOORIGIAN with the intent to deceive and defraud Petitioner and to preclude Petitioner from proceeding legally against AARON GOORIGIAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN informed Petitioner that he would take care of the matter.

On 2/15/1993, Petitioner wrote a letter to Mrs. S. Briones, whom Petitioner believes, was an employee of Bank of America requesting Bank of America notify IDS Financial Services, and rescind the signature guarantee contained in the forged document so that the transaction transferring the assets would be reversed (copy of letter attached as Exhibit E).

Please see additional page

4A Violet Goorigian Revocable Trust

Case No. 13CEPR00365

The letter was sent to Bank of America because as of 2/15/1993, neither AARON GOORIGIAN nor VIOLET GOORIGIAN had compensated Petitioner for his loss.

As a result of the letter, AARON GOORIGIAN made a promise to Petitioner that if he would refrain for proceeding legally against himself and VIOLET GOORIGIAN that all of the real property, intangible personal property and tangible personal property owned by AARON GOORIGIAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN would be left to Petitioner.

In reliance upon said promise made to Petitioner, Petitioner did not attempt to recover the assets fraudulently transferred.

AARON GOORIGIAN died on 7/22/1999. Petitioner believes that at his death neither AARON GOORIGIAN nor VIOLET GOORIGIAN had established an estate plan that would, upon their deaths, leave all of their property to petitioner in conformance with the above said promises.

On 10/6/2008 VIOLET GOORIGIAN established the Trust. Petitioner alleges that Article FOURTH of the Trust document, essentially complies with the oral promises made to Petitioner by AARON GOORIGIAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN.

On 3/9/12, VIOLET GOORIGIAN executed the 3rd Trust Amendment. However, under the 3rd Trust Amendment, Petitioner was completely disinherited so that assets would be distributed to HOLY TRINITY ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH; the CHARLIE KEYAN ARMENIAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL; and the AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY.

Petitioner believes that at the time of her death, VIOLET GOORIGIAN was the owner of a certificate of deposit or an investment account in the approximate amount of \$200,000.00, that is not an asset of the Trust, and is being probated in Fresno County Superior Court case no. 13CEPR00098.

Petitioner further alleges that the Will of VIOLET GOORIGIAN dated 3/9/12 directs that all her assets in the probate estate be given to the Trustee of the VIOLET GOORIGIAN REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST and that this distribution of non-trust assets dos not comply with the promises made to petitioner by AARON GOORIGIAN and VIOLET GOORIGIAN, as described above.

Petitioner states VIOLET GOORIGIAN has acknowledged the debts owed to petitioner for remodeling of the residence located on South Avenue and for the fraudulent transfer of the IDS asset because said acknowledgment is contained in a document dated 5/6/1995 which is all in the handwriting of VIOLET GOORIGIAN (copy of letter attached as Exhibit F).

Please see additional page

Wherefore Petitioner prays for an Order:

- Ascertaining the beneficiaries of the VIOLET GOORIGIAN REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST and determining distribution of all real property, intangible personal property or tangible personal property from the VIOLET GOORIGIAN REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST, including real property, intangible personal property or tangible personal property distributed to the VIOLET GOORIGIAN REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST form the probate of the distributed to Petitioner GARY C. GOORIGIAN.
- 2. For costs herein.
- 3. For such other orders as the court may deem proper.

General Appearance and Notice of Neutrality by Respondents BEN KRIKORIAN and AARON KRIKORIAN, co-Trustees of the VIOLET GOOGORIAN REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST. Co-Trustees state they shall remain neutral in connection with the petition and take no position with respect to the merits or outcome of such petition. Co-Trustees state they will appear at the hearing for the purpose of providing any assistance to the court which the court may request.

Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Church's Response to Petition filed on 6/14/2013. Holy Trinity responds, opposes, and objects to the petition. Holy Trinity pleads the following affirmative defenses:

- 1. The Petition fails to state a claim for which relief can be granted.
- 2. The Petitioner fails to name the correct parties. Other parties should be named.
- 3. Petitioner's relief is barred by one or more of the statutes of limitations set for the in the C.C.P. and the Probate Code.
- 4. Petitioner does not have standing to bring this Petition under Probate Code §17200(b).
- 5. Petitioner claims oral agreements were created in the 1980's and in 1990's yet has made no effort to enforce the agreement until now. The lengthy delay in seeking relief is without justification and is to the prejudice of Holy Trinity.
- 6. Petitioner has unclean hands and should be denied relief sought under the Petition.

Wherefore, Holy Trinity prays:

- 1. That the Petitioner take nothing;
- 2. For costs of suit including attorney fees under common fund doctrine;
- 3. For such other and further relief as the court deems just.

4A Violet Goorigian Revocable Trust

Case No.13CEPR00365

Objection from American Cancer Society to Gary Goorigian's Petition to Ascertain Beneficiaries and Determine Distribution of Property on Final Termination of Trust filed on 6/18/2013. American Cancer Society pleads the following affirmative defenses:

- 1. The Petition and each and every cause of action and part thereof, fails to state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action.
- 2. The Petition and each and every cause of action and part thereof, is barred by all applicable statutes of limitations, including but not limited to, C.C.P. §§338 and 338 and California Probate Code §16061.7.
- 3. Petitioner has unreasonably delayed commencement of this action to the prejudice of this Respondent, and as a result, each purported cause of action is barred by the doctrine of laches.
- 4. Petitioner waived his right to recovery and/or remedies requested.
- 5. Petitioner is estopped from claiming rights to recovery and/or remedies requested.
- 6. Decedent duly performed, satisfied and discharged all duties and obligations she may have owed to Petitioner arising out of any and all agreements, representations, contracts or relationships.
- 7. Petitioner's claims are uncertain.

Wherefore, Respondent prays:

- 1. That the Petitioner take nothing by reason of this Petition;
- 2. That Respondent be awarded attorney's fees and costs incurred in this action, and;
- 3. For such other and further relief as the court deems just and proper.

Ojbection from Respondent Charlie Keyan Armenian Community School filed 8-5-13 provides affirmative defenses and requests that the Court deny the petition in its entirety, award Respondent its attorney fees and costs incurred herein, and grant any further relief the Court deems just and proper.

4B Violet Goorigian Revocable Trust Case No. 13CEPR00365
Atty Rube, Melvin K. (for Petitioner Gary C. Goorigian)

Atty Glasrud, Donald H (for Co-Trustees, Ben Krikorian and Aaron Krikorian)

Atty Magnus, Marcus (for Respondent, Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Church)

Atty Brillant, David (for Respondent, American Cancer Society)

Atty Sanoian, Joanne (for Respondent, Charlie Keyan Armenian Community School)

Status Conference

	GARY G. GOORIGIAN, Son, filed a Petition to Ascertain Beneficiaries and Determine Distribution of Property on Final Termination of Trust on 5-2-13.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified Inventory	BEN KRIKORIAN and AARON KRIKORIAN, Co- Trustees of the Trust, filed a General Appearance and Notice of Neutrality with regard to the Petition on 5-16-13.	
Not.Cred. Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail Aff.Pub.	Objections have been filed by the following parties/Respondents: Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Church American Cancer Society Charlie Keyan Armenian Community School	
Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen Letters	At hearing on 6-19-13, the Court continued the petition at Page 4A to 8-16-13 and also set this status conference.	
Duties/Supp Objections Video	Joint Status Report filed 8-14-13 by Respondents American Cancer Society, Charlie Keyan Armenian Community School, and Holy Trinity	
Receipt CI Report 9202	Armenian Apostolic Church states Respondents believe this case is at issue. Respondents have served their first set of written discovery on Petitioner. It is likely there will be a number of	
Order Aff. Posting Status Rpt UCCJEA	Respondents do not anticipate filing any pretrial dispositive motions. Motions to compel responses to discovery may be required. Respondents tentatively believe this case could be ready for	Reviewed by: skc Reviewed on: 8-12-13 Updates: 8-15-13
Citation FTB Notice		Recommendation: File 4B – Goorigian

Probate Status Hearing Re: Issuance of Amended Letters of Conservatorship

Ag	e: 58 years	SYLVIA GONZALEZ, is the sole remaining Conservator, Co-Conservator Guadalupe	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		Pena passed away.	Continue4d from 8-2-13
		Order Settling the Twelfth Account ordered	Atimula Ouday 0 0 12: No amora amora a statica
		new Letters to issue reflecting Sylvia Gonzalez	Minute Order 8-2-13: No appearances. Matter continued to 8-16-13. The Court orders Ruth
Co	nt. from 080213	as the sole conservator.	Ratzlaff to be personally present on 8-16-13. If
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	Notice of Status Hearing was mailed to	there is no appearance at the next hering
	Verified	attorney Ruth Ratzlaff on 6/24/2013.	and the amended letters are not filed, the Court will remove Sylvia Gonzalez as the
	Inventory	1	conservator and appoint the Public Guardian.
	PTC	_	As of 8-13-13, nothing further has been filed.
	Not.Cred.]	
	Notice of	<u> </u>	Need amended Letters to issue or
	Hrg		current written status report pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 which states in all
	Aff.Mail		matters set for status hearing verified
	Aff.Pub.		status reports must be filed no later
	Sp.Ntc.		than 10 days before the hearing. Status Reports must comply with the
	Pers.Serv.		applicable code requirements.
	Conf.		Notice of the status hearing, together
	Screen		with a copy of the Status Report shall
	Letters		be served on all necessary parties.
	Duties/Supp		
	Objections		
	Video		
	Receipt	4	
	CI Report		
	9202	_	
	Order	_	
	Aff. Posting	_	Reviewed by: KT / skc
	Status Rpt	4	Reviewed on: 8-13-13
	UCCJEA		Updates:
	Citation	4	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice		File 5 – Larssen

Atty Smith, Jane T.

Status Hearing Re: Final Account

Age:	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
DOD:	
	OFF CALENDAR
Cont. from	Final Account filed 7-22-13 is set for
Aff.Sub.Wit.	hearing 8-28-13
Verified	
Inventory	
PTC	
Not.Cred.	
Notice of	
Hrg	
Aff.Mail	
Aff.Pub.	
Sp.Ntc.	
Pers.Serv.	
Conf.	
Screen	
Letters	
Duties/Supp	
Objections	
Video	
Receipt	
CI Report	
9202	
Order	
Aff. Posting	Reviewed by: SkC
Status Rpt	Reviewed on: 8-12-13
UCCJEA	Updates:
Citation	Recommendation:
FTB Notice	File 6 – Setrakian

6

7 Brenda Ruth Scott (Estate)

Case No. 11CEPR01103

Atty Fanucchi, Edward L. (for Will Scott, Jr. – Administrator)

Probate Status Hearing Re: Filing of Inventory and Appraisal

DOD: 10/22/11	WILL SCOTT, JR., surviving spouse, was	NEEDS/PROBLI
	appointed successor Administrator on 02/08/13.	CONTINUED FI
	02/00/13.	Minute Order
	Letters of Administration were issued on	Counsel inform
Cont. from 052413	02/08/13.	trying to figure
062113		appraisal. Co
Aff.Sub.Wit.	Status Report filed 05/17/13 states: Counsel	continuance.
Verified	and the Administrator have not had time to	08/16/13. Co
Inventory	determine what assets remain in the estate and what assets have been determined to	status report b
PTC	be joint tenancy property. A continuance is	1. Need
Not.Cred.	requested so that counsel and the	currer
Notice of	Administrator can meet to prepare the	pursuc
Hrg	Inventory & Appraisal and forward it to the	which
Aff.Mail	Probate Referee for appraisal and	for sta
Aff.Pub.	subsequent filing with the Court.	status
Sp.Ntc.		later t
Pers.Serv.		hearir comp
Conf.		code
Screen		the sto
Letters		with a
Duties/Supp		Repor
Objections		neces
Video		
Receipt		
CI Report		
9202		
Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by:
Status Rpt		Reviewed on:
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation	<u> </u>	Recommendo
FTB Notice		File 7 – Scott

NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:

CONTINUED FROM 06/21/13

Minute Order from 06/21/13 states:
Counsel informs the Court that they are trying to figure out the inventory & appraisal. Counsel request a 60 day continuance. Matter continued to 08/16/13. Counsel is ordered to file a status report before the next hearing.

1. Need Inventory & Appraisal or current written status report pursuant to Local Rule 7.5, which states: In all matters set for status hearing, verified status reports must be filed no later than 10 days before the hearing. Status Reports must comply with the applicable code requirements. Notice of the status hearing, together with a copy of the Status Report shall be served on all necessary parties.

Reviewed by: JF

Reviewed on: 08/12/13

Updates:

Recommendation:

File 7 – Scott

7

Michael W. Roberts (Estate)
Donaldson, Larry A. (for Kenneth Roberts – Administrator) Status Hearing Re: Filing of the Inventory and Appraisal

DOD: 2-24-12	KENNETH ROBERTS, Father, was appointed	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	Administrator with Full IAEA with bond of \$20,000.00 on 10-18-12.	Continued from 3-15-13, 5-10-13
Cont. from 031513, 051013 Aff.Sub.Wit.	At hearing on 10-18-12, the Court set this status hearing for filing of the Inventory and Appraisal.	Note: On 5-10-13, there were no appearances. A copy of the minute order was mailed to Attorney Donaldson on 5-10-13.
Verified Inventory	Bond was filed on 2-22-13. Letters issued 3-14-13.	As of 8-12-13, nothing further has been filed. The following issues remain:
Not.Cred. Notice of	Status Hearing Statement (unverified) filed by Mr. Donaldson states Letters were obtained 3-14-13 and he will prepare the I&A before	Need <u>Inventory and Appraisal</u> .
Hrg Aff.Mail	3-30-13 and forward it to the Probate Referee.	Joanne Sanoian, attorney for Christina Roberts, Trustee of the Jennifer Roberts Special Needs Trust,
Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv.	Mr. Donaldson states it is the intent of the administrator to transfer the property 50/50 to Jessica Roberts and to the Jennifer Roberts	filed a Request for Special Notice on 2-19-13. If this matter is continued, need proof of service of Notice of
Conf. Screen	SNT., and he believes the above tasks can be completed by 7-30-13 and the First and Final Accounting can be filed before 8-15-	Hearing pursuant to the Request for Special Notice.
Letters Duties/Supp Objections	13.	(Jessica Roberts is the decedent's daughter.)
Video Receipt		
CI Report 9202		
Order Aff. Posting Status Rpt		Reviewed by: skc Reviewed on: 8-12-13
UCCJEA Citation		Updates: Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 8 - Roberts

9

Atty Miller, Russell C. (for Administrator Joshua David Leong)

DOD:	States freating to fine first Account	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
303.		NEEDS, INCOLLING, CONTINUENTO.
		OFF CALENDAR
		<u>OTT CALEITDAR</u>
Cont. from		First Account filed 8-1-13 is set for hearing
Aff.Sub.Wit.		on 9-9-13.
Verified		
Inventory		
PTC Not Const.		
Not.Cred.		
Notice of Hrg		
Aff.Mail		
Aff.Pub.		
Sp.Ntc.		
Pers.Serv.		
Conf. Screen		
Letters		
Duties/Supp		
Objections		
Video Receipt		
CI Report		
9202		
9202 Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: skc
Status Rpt		Reviewed by: SRC Reviewed on: 8-12-13
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 9 – Leong
FIB NOICE		THE 7-LEUTING

Acie Lee Hopkins (CONS/PE)

Young, Charlotte A. (Pro Per – Daughter – Conservator)

Status Hearing Re: Filing of the First Account

Age	e: 83	CHARLOTTE A. YOUNG, Daughter, was appointed Conservator of the Person and	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		Estate on 8-20-12 with bond of \$20,875.16.	
		At hearing on 8-20-12, the Court set this status hearing for filing of the first account.	
	Aff.Sub.Wit.		
	Verified	On 1-11-13, the Court waived bond and	
	Inventory	Letters issued on 4-4-13.	
	PTC	Inventory and Appraisal was filed 1-22-13	
	Not.Cred.	indicating \$601 cash.	
	Notice of Hrg]	
	Aff.Mail		
	Aff.Pub.		
	Sp.Ntc.		
	Pers.Serv.		
	Conf. Screen		
	Letters		
	Duties/Supp		
	Objections		
	Video		
~	Receipt	4	
Ě	CI Report	-	
	9202 Order	4	
	Aff. Posting	-	Reviewed by: skc
	Status Rpt	-	Reviewed by: 3RC
	UCCJEA	1	Updates:
	Citation	1	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice		File 10 – Hopkins

Fishman, Robert G.

Age:	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
DOD:	
	OFF CALENDAR ORDER FOR
	FINAL DISTRIBUTION SIGNED ON
Cont. from	02/20/2013.
Aff.Sub.Wit.	
Verified	
Inventory	
PTC	
Not.Cred.	
Notice of	
Hrg	
Aff.Mail	
Aff.Pub.	
Sp.Ntc.	
Pers.Serv.	
Conf.	
Screen	
Letters	
Duties/Supp	
Objections	
Video	
Receipt	
CI Report	
9202	
Order	
Aff. Posting	Reviewed by: LV
Status Rpt	Reviewed on: 08/13/2013
UCCJEA	Updates:
Citation	Recommendation:
FTB Notice	File 11 – Nagel

Dowling, Michael P. (for Edward E. Anderson – Executor)

	Sidios nediling ke. rilling of the rilsi Accoom o	
Age:		NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
DOD:		
		OFF CALENDAR
		Order on Waiver of First & Final
Cont. from		Account and Report of
Aff.Sub.Wit.		Executor was filed 12/05/12
Verified		
Inventory		
PTC		
Not.Cred.		
Notice of		
Hrg		
Aff.Mail		
Aff.Pub.		
Sp.Ntc.		
Pers.Serv.		
Conf.		
Screen		
Letters		
Duties/Supp		
Objections		
Video		
Receipt		
CI Report		
9202		
Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: JF
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 08/13/13
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 12 - Anderson

Janian, Paulette

Age:	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
DOD:	
	OFF CALENDAR
	Decree of Final Distribution on
Cont. from	Waivers of Accounting and
Aff.Sub.Wit.	Notice and Allowing Requested
Verified	Fees to Attorney filed 02/07/13
Inventory	rees to Attorney med 62/07/10
PTC	
Not.Cred.	
Notice of	
Hrg	
Aff.Mail	
Aff.Pub.	
Sp.Ntc.	
Pers.Serv.	
Conf.	
Screen	
Letters	
Duties/Supp	
Objections	
Video	
Receipt	
CI Report	
9202	
Order	
Aff. Posting	Reviewed by: JF
Status Rpt	Reviewed on: 08/13/13
UCCJEA	Updates:
Citation	Recommendation:
FTB Notice	File 13 – Berry

Skinner, Jennifer Hamilton (for Kathryn Lopez – Administrator)

Status Hearing Re: Filing of the Inventory and Appraisal

DOD: 07/17/12	KATHRYN LOPEZ, daughter, was appointed	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	Administrator with limited IAEA authority and	
	bond set at \$150,000.00 on 10/03/12. Letters	CONTINUED FROM 05/10/13
	were issued on 10/26/12.	Minute Order from 05/10/13 states:
Cont. from 051013		Counsel informs the Court that the
Aff.Sub.Wit.	Minute Order from hearing on 10/03/12 set	document regarding the non-cash
	this matter for status regarding filing of the	personal assets has been filed. At
Verified	Inventory & Appraisal.	counsel's request, the Court orders that the listing agreement run through
Inventory	Inventory & Appraisal, partial #1 filed	08/04/13.
PTC	03/05/13 - \$138,225.00	00/04/10.
Not.Cred.	φτου,220.00	
Notice of	Inventory & Appraisal, partial #2 filed	1. It appears that the I&A Partial #1 filed
Hrg	05/06/13 - \$9,500.00	3-5-13 includes an appraisal by the
Aff.Mail		Administrator of a Deed of Trust with
Aff.Pub.		Assignment of Rents for certain real
Sp.Ntc.		property in Marysville, CA. However, this type of non-cash asset requires
Pers.Serv.		appraisal by the Probate Referee
Conf.		pursuant to Probate Code §8900-
Screen		8902.
Letters		
Duties/Supp		Therefore, need amended or I&A
Objections		Partial #1.
Video		2. Need Final Inventory & Appraisal.
Receipt		z. Need illidilliverilory & Appidisal.
CI Report		
9202		
Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: JF
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 08/12/13
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 14-Lopez
		14

Esraelian, Robyn L. (for Executors Joshua Houssiere and Cara Houssiere)
Status Hearing Re: Filing of the Inventory and Appraisal

DC	D: 3/17/2012	JOSHUA HOUSSIERE and CARA HOUSSIERE	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		were appointed co-Executors with full IAEA	
		and without bond on 9/11/2012.	Continued from 02/15/2013
		=	
	nt. from 021513	Letters issued on 9/11/12.	
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	Inventory and Appraisal was due on 1/11/13.	
	Verified		
✓		Status Report filed on 08/08/2013 states the	
	Inventory	Executors are not aware of any assets	
	PTC	owned by the decedent in California. The	
	Not.Cred.	Executors are aware of assets in Louisiana	
	Notice of	consisting of mineral rights. The state of Louisiana does not have any summary	
	Hrg	proceedings for distributing such mineral	
	Aff.Mail	rights. Therefore, the Executors initiated this	
	Aff.Pub.	probate proceeding, so that an ancillary	
	Sp.Ntc.	proceeding could be initiated in Louisiana	
	Pers.Serv.	for purposes of transferring the mineral rights	
	Conf.	owned by the decedents to the Executors	
	Screen	as the sole beneficiaries of the decedent's estate.	
	Letters	esidie.	
	Duties/Supp	The Executors signed documents for	
	Objections	purposes of opening the Louisiana Probate	
	Video	on 07/22/2013.	
	Receipt		
	CI Report	The Executors are unable at this time to	
	9202	proceed in California until such time as the Louisiana probate is completed. The	
	Order	Executors are relying on their legal counsel in	
	Aff. Posting	Louisiana to complete the Louisiana probate	Reviewed by: LV
✓	Status Rpt	and do not yet have a time frame for the	Reviewed on: 08/13/2013
	UCCJEA	completion of the Louisiana probate	Updates:
	Citation	proceeding.	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice		File 15 - Houssiere
			1.5

Atty Walters, Jennifer L. (for Jennie Miller Redfern and John A. Clack – Petitioners)

Burnside, Leigh W. (for Philip Williams – Respondent)

Status Hearing Re: Settlement Agreement

	JENNIE MILLER REDFERN and JOHN A. CLACK,	NEEDS (DDODLEAGS /
	Petitioners, filed a PETITION TO COMPEL TRUSTEE TO	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/
	ACCOUNT TO THE BENEFICIARIES AND DIRECTING	COMMENTS:
	DISTRIBUTION AND TERMINATION OF THE TRUST on	
	12/07/13.	
Cont. from	Minute Order from Settlement Conference held on	
Aff.Sub.Wit.	05/23/13 states: Both counsels and their clients are	
Verified	present in the courtroom. Matter is continued to 07/11/13. Counsel is directed to submit their revised	
Inventory	settlement conference statements regarding the	
PTC	outstanding issues by the preceding Monday. The trial date of 07/10/13 is vacated.	
Not.Cred.	indidate of 0//10/13 is vacated.	
Notice of Hrg	Minute Order from Settlement Conference held on	
Aff.Mail	07/11/13 states: Parties reach a resolution as set forth by Ms.	
Aff.Pub.	Burnside. Upon inquiry by the Court, parties	
Sp.Ntc.	individually agree to the terms and conditions of the agreement. Matter set for a status hearing on	
Pers.Serv.	08/16/13. If all documents regarding the settlement	
Conf. Screen	agreement are signed by 08/16/13, no appearance will be necessary.	
Letters	appearance will be necessary.	
Duties/Supp	Status Declaration filed 08/09/13 states: On	
Objections	07/11/13 the parties participated in a settlement conference and reached an agreement to resolve	
Video	the dispute between the parties. The terms were	
Receipt	recited by counsel and consented to by the	
CI Report	parties. Following the settlement conference, counsel for Philip Williams, Leigh Burnside, prepared	
9202	a written settlement agreement and mutual	
Order	release and e-mailed it to counsel for John Clack	
Aff. Posting	and Jennifer Redfern, Jennifer Walters. Ms. Walters raised the matter of her clients' attorney's fees	Reviewed by: JF
Status Rpt	being paid out of the Trust estate. That item was not	Reviewed on: 08/13/13
UCCJEA	part of the agreement reached at the settlement	Updates: 08/14/13
Citation	conference. Declarant explained that such fees could be paid out of her clients' shares of the Trust.	Recommendation:
FTB Notice	Additionally, under the terms of the settlement, Mr.	File 16-Clack
	Williams, as Trustee has submitted 3 real estate	
	agents names to Ms. Walter's clients for them to	
	select one. To date no response has been received from Ms. Walters as to which of the 3	
	agents her clients have selected to handle the sale	
	of the Clovis property. On 08/05/13, a letter was	
	sent to Ms. Walters asking about the status of the	
	settlement agreement, as of the date of this	
	declaration, no response has been received.	
		1/

Atty Shehadey, Vanessa Lynn (for Susan Garberick Baxter – Executor)

Atty Porter, Tres A. (for Devon Gass – step-daughter/Contestant)

Status Hearing Re: Settlement Agreement

DOD: 12/05/12	S
	F
	(
	k
Cont. from	(
Aff.Sub.Wit.	C
Verified	
Inventory	9
PTC	E
Not.Cred.	
Notice of	ı
Hrg	r
Aff.Mail	r
Aff.Pub.	k
Sp.Ntc.	9
Pers.Serv.	†
Conf.	k
Screen	ć
Letters	†
Duties/Supp	i
Objections	(
Video	K
Receipt	(
CI Report	(
9202	(
Order	
Aff. Posting	
Status Rpt	
UCCJEA	
Citation	
FTB Notice	

SUSAN GARBERICK BAXTER, sister, filed a Petition for Probate on 12/13/12 seeking to admit a Will dated 10/05/12 to Probate and be appointed as Executor under such will.

Opposition to Petition for Probate was filed 01/22/13 by Devon R. Gass.

Susan Garberick Baxter was appointed Executor without bond on 02/04/13 and Letters were issued on 02/04/13.

Minute Order from Settlement Conference re: Will Contest dated 06/10/13 states: Parties reach a settlement agreement as set forth by Ms. Shehadey. Parties agree that each arandchild as indicated will receive \$32,000.00. Said funds are to be placed in trust or other device as deemed satisfactory by Ms. Baxter. Payment to be made within 65 days. Parties agree that the costs will be taken from the \$32,000.00. The Court ndicates for the minute order that this will be a settlement of all claims known and unknown. Upon inquiry by the Court, each party individually agrees to the terms and conditions of the settlement. The Court directs Ms. Shehadev to prepare the agreement for circulation to the parties.

NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:

1. Need **Settlement Agreement** or current written status report pursuant to Local Rule 7.5, which states: In all matters set for status hearing, verified status reports must be filed no later than 10 days before the hearing. Status Reports must comply with the applicable code requirements. Notice of the status hearing, together with a copy of the Status Report shall be served on all necessary parties.

Reviewed by: JF

Reviewed on: 08/13/13

Updates:

Recommendation:

File 17 – Garberick

17

Betty Jean Bier (Estate)
Wright, Judith A (for Wanda June Timmons – Executor)
Status Hearing Re: Filing of the Inventory and Appraisal

DO	D: 01/12/2013	WANDA JUNE TIMMONS, mother, was appointed	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		Executor with full IAEA authority without bond on	
		03/19/2013.	
		Letters issued on 03/21/2013.	
Со	nt. from		
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	Inventory & Appraisal Partial No. 1 filed 04/10/2013	
	Verified	- \$577,500.00	
✓	Inventory		
	PTC	Status Report of Judith A. Wright filed 08/14/2013	
	Not.Cred.	states the Inventory and Appraisal for both of	
	Notice of Hrg	Decedent's real properties and her personal	
	Aff.Mail	furnishings and effects were filed on 04/10/2013 as	
	Aff.Pub.	Partial No. 1.	
	Sp.Ntc.	At this time, it is known that the Decedent had	
	Pers.Serv.	several motor vehicles and small bank accounts.	
	Conf. Screen	In spite of the Executor's best efforts, getting the	
	Letters	mileage on the vehicles and documenting the	
	Duties/Supp	balances in any of Decedent's bank accounts	
	Objections	has been delayed, as her focus has been on	
	Video	getting the real property ready for sale.	
	Receipt	Decedent's home has been a challenge due to	
	CI Report	the great amount of clutter filling each room and	
	9202 Order	the bug infestation. The fumigation, which is	
	Aff. Posting	scheduled for this month, had to be delayed until	Reviewed by: LV
1	Status Rpt	Decedent's son, the sole heir, found alternate	Reviewed by: 27 Reviewed on: 08/13/2013
_	•	housing.	
	UCCJEA	The Executor has been challenged in determining	Updates: 08/15/2013
	Citation FTB Notice	the mileage for the vehicles, as the batteries are	Recommendation: File 18 – Bier
	11b Holice	dead. She has recently discovered the date of	The 10 - blef
		death values on the several bank accounts and	
		intends to provide that information within the next	
		two weeks.	
		It is intended that the filling of the Final Inventory	
		and Appraisal with the Court shall be by mid-	
		September. That date is contingent on receipt of	
		the appraisal on the vehicles from the probate	
		referee.	

19

Atty

Case No. 13CEPR00198

Amended Carol Bailey Living Trust 1998 Case No. 13CE Winter, Gary L. (for David and Arlene Liles, Petitioners on behalf of Raven Nicole Bailey) Status Hearing Re: Filing of Accounting

		On 5-21-13, pursuant to Amended Petition	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		filed by David and Arlene Liles , Guardians Ad Litem for Raven Nicole Bailey, minor	Continued from (14.12
		beneficiary, the Court appointed H.F. RICK	Continued from 6-14-13
		LEAS , a licensed professional fiduciary, as	Note: There were no appearances on 6-
Cor	nt. from 061413	Successor Trustee of the Amended Carol	14-13. A copy of the minute order was
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	Baily Living Trust with bond of \$500,000.00 on	mailed to Attorney Winter on 6-14-13. As
	Verified	5-21-13. Bond was filed on 5-31-13.	of 8-12-13, no account has been filed.
	Inventory	Order 5-21-13 also requires ALLISON ST. LOUIS ,	
	PTC	as successor or representative of the prior	
	Not.Cred.	trustee DAVID J. ST. LOUIS , to file an	
	Notice of	accounting with the Court, which	
	Hrg	accounting shall be prepared by Dritsas,	
	Aff.Mail	Groom and McCormick, LLP, within four	
	Aff.Pub.	weeks of the order.	
	Sp.Ntc.	The Court set this status hearing for the filing	
	Pers.Serv.	of the accounting.	
	Conf.		
	Screen		
	Letters		
	Duties/Supp		
	Objections		
	Video		
	Receipt		
	CI Report		
	9202		
	Order		
	Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: skc
	Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 8-12-13
	UCCJEA		Updates:
	Citation		Recommendation:
	FTB Notice		File 19 - Bailey

20

Istanboulian, Flora, sole practitioner (for Terri May, Administrator)

Status Hearing Re: Filing of Bond

DOD: 5/9/2013	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	OFF CALENDAR
	Proof of Qualifying Bond was filed
Cont. from	7/29/2013.
Aff.Sub.Wit.	
Verified	
Inventory	
✓ Proof Bond	
<u> </u>	
Not.Cred.	
Notice of	
Hrg	
Aff.Mail	
Aff.Pub.	
Sp.Ntc.	
Pers.Serv.	
Conf. Screen	
Letters	
Duties/Supp	
Objections	
Video	
Receipt	
CI Report	
9202	
Order	
Aff. Posting	Reviewed by: LEG
Status Rpt	Reviewed on: 8/13/13
UCCJEA	Updates:
Citation	Recommendation:
FTB Notice	File 20 – Nichols

Guadalupe L. Miles (Estate)
Fanucchi, Edward L. (for Gilda N. Walker – Administrator) Status Hearing Re: Filing of the Bond

	sidius nediliig ke. riiilig oi ilie bolid	
DOD: 8-21-12	GILDA N. WALKER, Daughter, was appointed	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	as Administrator with Full IAEA with bond of	
	\$187,115.00 on 7-15-13.	1. Need bond of \$187,115.00.
	The Court set this status hearing for filing the	Note: Petition estimated \$75,700.00 in
	bond.	personal property (nature unknown) and
Aff.Sub.Wit.		the remainder in real property. A status
Verified	=	hearing was also set for filing the I&A for
Inventory		12-20-13.
PTC		
Not.Cred.		
Notice of		
Hrg		
Aff.Mail		
Aff.Pub.		
Sp.Ntc.		
Pers.Serv.		
Conf.		
Screen		
Letters		
Duties/Supp		
Objections		
Video		
Receipt		
CI Report		
9202		
Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: skc
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 8-13-13
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 21 – Miles
		

Pro Per Midkiff, Margaret (Pro Per Petitioner, Administrator)

DO	D: 2/21/2009	MARGARET A. MIDKIFF, daughter, was appointed	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/
		Administrator with Limited IAEA authority without Bond on	COMMENTS:
		3/15/2012. Letters issued on 3/29/2012.	Note: Court records do not
		Doubled No. 1 0 0 loves where your d Assessment of Start 7 (0 (0010)	show a Final Inventory and
Со	nt. from	Partial No. 1 & 2 Inventory and Appraisal filed 7/2/2012	Appraisal has been filed in
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	shows property consisting of bank accounts, life	this matter.
1	Verified	insurance policy, mineral rights, real property, vehicles,	
Ě		and personal property items valued at \$331,374.34.	1. Need final
	Inventory	Declaration filed by Margaret A. Midkiff on 7/15/2013	accounting and/or
	PTC	= states:	petition for final distribution pursuant
	Not.Cred.	She requests to step down as Administrator of her	to Probate Code §
	Notice of Hrg	father's estate, and requests that the Fresno County	1060, et seg., 10950 et
	Aff.Mail	Public Administrator take over this probate case or	seq., and 11000 et
	Aff.Pub.	whomever the Court deems appropriate;	seq.
	Sp.Ntc.	The reason she requests this is because she has been side in a supplied to the share of the	
	Pers.Serv.	sick since approximately August 2012 and was	
	Conf. Screen	diagnosed with Stage 4 breast cancer in December	
	Letters	2012 and it has spread to her lungs, liver and bones,	
	Duties/Supp	and she has been going through weekly	
	Objections	chemotherapy and radiation for the last 6 months	
	Video	and still receives treatment (copies of medical	
	Receipt	documents included);	
	CI Report	Because of her illness and receiving treatment for it,	
	9202	she has been unable to work on completing her	
	Order	father's probate case;	
	Aff. Posting	She knows there is a status hearing on 8/16/2013 and	Reviewed by: LEG
	Status Rpt	she is sending this declaration to explain why she has	Reviewed on: 8/13/13
	UCCJEA	not responded to the Court sooner;	Updates:
	Citation	She requests that she be kept informed on the	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice	progress of this case if possible, and she will check the	File 22 – Meisel
		status online also;	
		She thanks the Court for its assistance with this matter.	
<u> </u>			

Antuna, Suzie (pro per – daughter/Administrator)
Status Hearing

DOD: 05/19/12	SUZIE ANTUNA, daughter, was appointed	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	Administrator with Full IAEA and without	CONTINUED FROM 07 /10 /12
	bond on 08/22/12.	CONTINUED FROM 07/12/13 Minute Order from 07/12/13 states:
	Letters of Administration were issued on	Inventory & Appraisal is not completed.
Cont. from 051013	3, 08/22/12.	The Court asks the petitioner to meet with
071213		the examiner
Aff.Sub.Wit.	Minute Order from status hearing regarding	
Verified	filing of the Inventory & Appraisal dated	As of 08/12/13, nothing further has been
Inventory	01/25/13 set this matter for a Status Hearing	filed in this matter:
PTC	and states: Ms. Antuna informs the Court that the Inventory & Appraisal was filed this	Need Supplemental Inventory
Not.Cred.	morning, however, a \$2,000.00 check was	& Appraisal and/or current
Notice of	not included. Matter set for a Status Hearing	written status report pursuant
Hrg	on 05/10/13. The Court directs Ms. Antuna to	to Local Rule 7.5, which states:
Aff.Mail	meet with Court Examiner Sarah Campbell	In all matters set for status
Aff.Pub.	forthwith.	hearing, verified status reports
Sp.Ntc.	Inventory & Apppraisl filed 01/25/13 -	must be filed no later than 10 days before the hearing.
Pers.Serv.	\$57,287.66	Status Reports must comply
Conf.	φον, γ2ονσο	with the applicable code
Screen	Supplemental Inventory & Appraisal filed	requirements. Notice of the
Letters	04/25/13 - \$2,000.00	status hearing, together with a
Duties/Supp		copy of the Status Report shall
Objections		be served on all necessary parties.
Video		ратівз.
Receipt		
CI Report		
9202	<u>_</u>	
Order	_	
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: JF
Status Rpt	_	Reviewed on: 08/12/13
UCCJEA	_	Updates:
Citation	_	Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 23 – Rocha
		22

Efrain Cruz (CONS/PE)
Sanoian, Joanne (for Conservator Estela Cruz)

Status Hearing Re: Receipts for Blocked Accounts

	ESTELA CRUZ , mother, is conservator of the person and estate.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/ COMMENTS:
	Order approving 6 th account was signed on 5/14/13.	OFF CALENDAR
Cont. from 062113, 070513, 080913 Aff.Sub.Wit.	Order states that \$150,000 was to be withdrawn from the blocked account at WestAmerica Bank and that \$75,000 each would be deposited into Murphy Bank and Bank of the Sierra.	Receipt and Acknowledgment of Order for the Deposit of Money Into Blocked Account was filed 8/12/2013.
Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail	Receipt for Blocked Account was filed for Murphy Bank on 5/22/13. Status Report filed 6/28/2013 states the Conservator withdrew \$75,000 from WestAmerica, but was unable to deposit the funds at Bank of the Sierra because that	Continued from 7/5/13. Minute Order states Counsel informs the Court that they should be able to move the money and have the receipt before
Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen	account is a certificate of deposit and additional deposits cannot be made until its maturity date of July 28, 2013. On 6/21/13, conservator opened a new savings account at Bank of the Sierra, and deposited \$75,000 from WestAmerica into this account.	the next hearing. Note: Receipt and Acknowledgment of Order for the Deposit of Money Into Blocked Account filed
Letters Duties/Supp Objections Video Descript	On 7/29/13 the funds from the new savings account will be transferred to the CD. Declaration of Joanne Sanoian filed 8/9/2013 states: On 8/8/2013, in preparation for this hearing, she	8/12/2013 includes clarification letter dated 8/9/2013 from Bank of the Sierra explaining an
CI Report 9202 Order	discovered that the Receipt which was filed with the Court, although correct in all respects, might be misleading to the Court in its reference in Item #7 to an "initial deposit" of \$50,000.00;	additional deposit of \$75,002.88 was made on 7/29/2013; the initial deposit of \$50,000.00
	 Although \$75,002.88 (\$2.88 interest accrued on the funds) was in fact deposited into the blocked account at Bank of the Sierra on 7/29/2013, it was not the "initial deposit" into this account; Item #8 on the form correctly reflects the current balance of the blocked account after [emphasis in 	indicated on the receipt filed 7/30/2013 represents an initial deposit made on 6/28/2006; the blocked account has a present balance of \$134,232.63.
Aff. Posting Status Rpt	 original] the deposit of the \$75,002.88 and accrued interest on the blocked account; The Sixth Account and Report of Conservator (on 	Reviewed by: KT / LEG Reviewed on: 8/13/2013
UCCJEA Citation FTB Notice	Page 49) reflects a balance of \$59,099.18 on 12/28/2012;	Updates: 8/14/13 Recommendation: File 24 – Cruz
FID NOICE	Attached as Exhibit A is a copy of the Bank of the Sierra transaction receipt reflecting the transfer of \$75,002.88 from account ending in [omitted] to the blocked account number [omitted].	24 Cruz

25

Case No. 10CEPR00104

Atty

Chester P. Beeler (Estate)
Lind, Ruth P (for Petitioner/Executor James Louis Roberts)
Bagdasarian, Gary for Objectors Anna B. Hinley and Frances Albers) Attý

Attý

Roberts, Greg (for Gail Brown)
Status Hearing Re: Settlement Agreement

	JAMES LOUIS ROBERTS, Executor, filed a petition for	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	determination of the beneficiaries under the will and for final distribution.	Need Final Order for Distribution according to Settlement
Cont. from 032913, 051013, 060713, 071213, 080913	Executor requested the court find that West Park Baptist Church was the beneficiary of the remaining estate consisting of \$119,359.98.	Agreement.
Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail Aff.Pub.	ANNA B. HINLEY and FRANCES ALBERS, Trustees of the Chester and Lorene Living Trust dated 4/12/07 filed objections requesting distribution of 50% interest in the net Estate be made to the Chester and Lorene Living Trust dated 4/12/2007, and that the Estate be ordered to reimburse Gary Bagdasarian the sum of \$18,095.71 as compensation for services on behalf of the Objectors.	
Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen Letters Duties/Supp Objections Video Receipt	Minute Order 1-2-13: Greg Roberts appearing via conference call. Ms. Lind objects to the payment of fees to Mr. Bagdasarian's client. The Court sets a Settlement Conference on 3/4/13. The Court directs counsel to submit their Settlement Conference Statements on week before the hearing. Matter set for Court Trial on 3/15/13 with a one day estimate.	
CI Report 9202 Order X Aff. Posting Status Rpt UCCJEA Citation FTB Notice	Minute Order 3-4-13: Also present in the courtroom are Donna Wyatt and Gail Brown. Frances Albers is appearing via conference call. Parties reach a settlement agreement as fully stated on the record by Mr. Roberts. Parties agree that the trust will waive any and all claims as to the Probate estate. In addition, parties agree to waive further accountings of the trust and estate and all objections are withdrawn. Upon inquiry by the Court, each party individually agrees to the terms and conditions of the settlement agreement. Mr. Roberts is directed to prepare the settlement agreement. The settlement agreement and order regarding the withdrawals from the blocked account(s) to be submitted on an ex parte basis. Set on 3/29/13 at 9am in Dept 303 for Status Re: Settlement Agreement Order signed 3-15-13 provides at #8: "The beneficiary of the amount of \$119,359.98 will be	Reviewed by: skc Reviewed on: 8-12-13 Updates: Recommendation: File 25 - Beeler
	covered in the Settlement Agreement. Settlement Agreement signed by all parties has been filed in counterparts on 7-22-13 and 8-9-13.	

Fanucchi, Edward L. (for Timothy Johnson – Administrator)
Status Hearing Re: Filing of Receipts for the Blocked Accounts

	TIMOTHY JOHNSON, Administrator, filed his	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	First and Final Account and Report of	
	Personal Representative on 06/12/13.	OFF CALENDAR
		Receipts filed 08/13/13
Cont. from 080913	Order Settling First and Final Account and Report of Personal Representative was	•
Aff.Sub.Wit.	signed 07/15/13. Pursuant to the Order, the	
Verified	funds to be distributed to Marshall Johnson	
Inventory	and Kimberly Johnson were to be deposited	
PTC	into blocked accounts.	
Not.Cred.	AA***** - O	
Notice of	Minute Order from 07/15/13 set this matter for status regarding Receipts for the Blocked	
Hrg	Accounts.	
Aff.Mail	= /\ccconns.	
Aff.Pub.	Order to Deposit Money into Blocked	
Sp.Ntc.	Account was signed 07/23/13.	
Pers.Serv.	=	
Conf.	=	
Screen		
Letters	1	
Duties/Supp	=	
Objections	=	
Video	1	
Receipt		
CI Report		
9202		
Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: JF
Status Rpt	_	Reviewed on: 08/12/13
UCCJEA		Updates: 08/13/13
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 26 – Johnson